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CAN THE SANTA CLAUS FUND BE BOOSTED TO \$150 MARK?

Large Growth Leads to Belief That
People of County Will Exceed
Expectations.

MONEY COULD BE WELL SPENT

Additional Purchases Will Probably
be Along the Line of Some
Substantial Presents.

Previously Received	\$107.87
Cladys and Aileen Green .....	.50
Mary Elizabeth McKee .....	.25
Rex A. George .....	.20
Elsie F. George .....	.20
Charlie W. George .....	.20
Cecil A. George .....	.20
Mary A. Heaton .....	.20
Lawrence Elbert Davison .....	.10
Cash	1.00
Mrs. Jet Parker	1.00
Bachelors' Retreat	4.08
Primary Class	1.70
Mrs. John Gowdy	2.00
I. & C. Trac. office clerks	3.50

Total

Well, now while we are at it, let's just run this Santa Claus fund up to \$150. The liberality of the people who are anxious to help make Christmas happy for the little ones has swelled the fund marvelously in the last two days and many have suggested that the fund be run up to \$150. Not one penny of it would be wasted and the good it would do, the smiles it would bring, the mothers' hearts it would make glad can not be estimated. There is enough in the fund now to get something for every unfortunate boy and girl in the city. But if the fund is raised to \$150 every stocking can be well filled with good things for the little children.

The workers are now undecided just where to spend the money best. A large stock of toys and books has been purchased and it is probable if the fund is raised to \$150 by donations from the liberal people of the city and county, that the remainder will be spent for something substantial in the way of wearing apparel. However, it will take every bit of \$150 to do this if the good people think it is worth while and will raise the fund to that amount it will be well spent for the happiness of the children. If enough is not raised to make the proposed additional purchases the money that does come in will be well spent.

It will be easy to spring the amount up to \$150. And it must be done by Wednesday for the fund will be closed that day. The penny boxes will be opened tomorrow morning, but this money will go to buying candy and should be over and above the \$150. Everything done so far is appreciated, and the people have done so well that no undue urging will be done to enlarge the contributions. We are simply saying if you think it's worth while come on with the money. We will see that it is well spent. And there you are.

One of the best and most appreciated contributions came this morning from "The Bachelor's Retreat." A box was put up in Ira Felts' pool room yesterday evening. Result, \$4.08 for a good cause. And then here came \$1.70 from the primary class of the M. E. Sunday school. Most of it was in pennies. Will those little folks be happier Christmas because they helped make some other children happy? Of course they will. Now let's see what can be done here in the next two days. If you feel that you want to help out in the good work come on with the money.

Courtland Spivey sent in a contribution today which is not listed above. It was a doll already dressed. It will be given to some girl and she will go into ecstasies over it.

TONIGHT!

The three Santa Claus boxes which have been receiving the small donations for several days will be placed at the three five cent theaters tonight. One will be placed at the Vaude, one at the Palace, and one at the Star Grand. As you come out drop in a dime or a nickel or even a penny or two. You will never miss it and think what good the money will do! This is the last day for the boxes and they will be opened tomorrow morning by Mayor Cowing and the money added to the Republican Santa Claus fund. It's a great cause. You know every penny you drop in will go to help make some little boy or girl happy on Christmas morning. Don't forget it now! Don't ignore it! Let's give the Santa Claus fund a big boost at the finish and be sure that every child in the city is well taken care of.

WATSON TO MEET WITH PRESIDENT

Will Hold Conference With Taft on
Indiana Politics Before
Returning.

IS EXPECTED HOME SOON

James E. Watson is in Washington, D. C., and will be home in a few days. He is to have a conference with President Taft either today or tomorrow, according to a dispatch from Washington, which reads as follows:

Former Senator Hemenway and former Representative Watson, who have been spending the last few days in New York, are expected here tomorrow. Mr. Watson will call on President Taft either Monday or Tuesday to talk over Indiana politics.

LARGE CROWD AT OPENING

O. H. Bradway Entertained More
Than 1500 Visitors Saturday.

O. H. Bradway entertained a large crowd at his opening in his new quarters in the large building at Third and Main streets Saturday. In the morning more than five hundred people called and in the evening and afternoon there were over 1000 visitors in his store. A harpist from Indianapolis entertained the crowds while they inspected the stock.

A Chinese rescued from drowning is compelled to support his rescuer for the rest of his life.

GOOD ENOUGH.

December 20, 1909.
The Republican Co., Rushville, Indiana.
The undersigned desire to express their appreciation of your kindly efforts to give to the poor of Rushville a Merry Christmas.
Find enclosed \$3.50.
Clerks of the General Office of the Indianapolis & Cincinnati Traction Co.

EXCITED CROWD IS DISAPPOINTED

Fire Alarm From Central Station
Saturday Night Big Drawing
Card.

SHOPPERS WERE OUT IN FORCE

Record Breaking Run Was Made by
Company as Well as Hoi-
Polloi.

"The whole west end of town is burning down," exclaimed J. C. Clore as he rushed madly into the Central fire station about eight o'clock Saturday evening all out of breath. "Look at that red light over there," pointing his finger. "That's an awful fire, I'll tell you."

Andy Stiffler had no sooner heard the exclamation and looked at the heavens to the west than he pulled the alarm at the fire station and the horses were soon prancing into the harness anxious to be off to the blaze. The usual Saturday night fire crowds were at the station before the wagon had left, all clamoring for the location of the fire and each one wondering if his home was burning down.

The horses were soon dashing down West Third street with the hoipolloi hot in pursuit. It was a good night for speed and some of the fire records were broken. The crowd rushed on and the wagon rolled down the street with the blaze looking bigger the farther they went.

"It's the Brown elevator," was the cry that went up and everybody rushed in that direction. But the sight that met their eyes made the excited crowd turn away in disgust. An incendiary fire or real fire is all right, but a premeditated fire is beyond all comprehension. That is what met the gaze of the anxious on-lookers.

All of the corn cobs from which had been removed the corn this fall had been piled up in the middle of a vacant lot and were then fired. The blaze was assuming immense proportions and reflected a light on the sky which from a distance had the appearance of a big fire. The elevator men had stationed two men around the blaze to keep it from spreading into any property.

CONNERSVILLE IS TAKEN INTO CAMP

Bowling Team From Eastern City Met
Defeat Saturday Night at
Social Alleys.

LOST TWO OUT OF THREE

A Connerville bowling team came from Connerville Saturday night only to meet defeat at the hands of the local five at the Social Alleys. The manager of the Connerville organization had sent word that they wanted a game with the local pin rollers. Frank Heckman, who manages the Social Alleys, had not yet had an opportunity to answer when the five came over looking for conquest. They found what they were looking for and lost two out of the three games played. In the total number of points scored in the three games Rushville made two more points than the visitors. The members of the Connerville team were: Ferguson, Myers, Ward, Spangler, and Loafer, and the local five was made up by Frank Heckman, Dr. E. F. VanOsdol, Frank Cowing, Ed. Cooning and Ben Ridenbaugh.

ENDS HER LIFE AFTER QUARREL

Mrs. David Weisenburg, Who For-
merly Lived Here, Commits
Suicide.

SEPARATED FROM 2D HUSBAND

First Husband Was Electrocuted in
I. & C. Car Barns While
Working Here.

Mrs. David Weisenburg, who committed suicide in Indianapolis yesterday, was formerly Mrs. Phillip Auman of this city and resided in the Brown property in East Third street. Her husband was a fineman on the I. & C. traction line and was electrocuted one Sunday morning while working in the car barns. After the death and burial of her first husband, Mrs. Auman with her two children moved to Indianapolis, where she was employed as telephone operator in the Traction terminal station. Later she married David Weisenburg, from whom she had also become estranged. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Roach and Mrs. Laura Auman, the mother of her first husband, are all residents of Indianapolis.

The Star says of the tragedy:

Mrs. David Weisenburg, 37 years old, who was accustomed to almost all the luxuries money could afford, and whose husband is manager of the Daniel Stewart Company's cigar department, committed suicide yesterday in elaborately appointed apartments in the Oxford Flats, 316 East Vermont street, using carbolic acid which was purchased innocently for her by Reta Auman, 9, her daughter.

"I didn't know what mama wanted with the—oh, you know the stuff," said the child after her mother's body was taken from the home to the barren city morgue. "She told me to buy 15 cents' worth and I obeyed just like I always did."

"Brother and I were playing downstairs when the servant found her," the child added, "and we couldn't understand. You see, Bud is only 3, and too little to understand anything about mamma's troubles."

A series of difficulties which resulted in a separation several months ago reached a climax yesterday when Mr. Weisenburg called at the Oxford apartments to bid his family goodbye before going to New York for the holidays. He was surprised to find Edward Cates, a young hotel man, there as a guest for lunch and admonished his wife. She endeavored to explain, but the police say, he refused to listen.

Evalyn Sawyer, the colored servant told the policemen that Mr. Weisenburg seized a photograph of himself, which was standing on a mantel, retained the picture and smashed the glass and frame upon the floor. She said he severely chastised his wife and she was sad and despondent when he left hurriedly and angrily.

The servant did not know that Mrs. Weisenburg sent the child for the poison and discovered the woman lying senseless on a bed when she started to call the children from play and notify her that lunch was waiting.

Mr. Cates, who disappeared shortly after the husband arrived unexpectedly, says that he is a friend of the family, and was in no way responsible for the separation. He insists he has known the Weisenburgs for some time, and says he has been entertained in their home frequently. He admitted calling on Mrs. Weisenburg after the separation, and declares she informed him that she and her husband had been divorced. He lives at 311 East Vermont street.

Efforts to find Mr. Weisenburg proved futile. He intended to leave the city for New York on an after-

noon train, and it is supposed that he departed without knowing that his wife swallowed the poison. He has been giving her a liberal allowance since they agreed to live apart, and the police say she had everything that she could desire.

Mrs. Weisenburg was a beautiful woman and fond of society. She enjoyed automobiling, and acquaintances in the flats say she entertained frequently. Relatives refused to name reasons for the separation, although they said they knew and were positive other causes prompted suicide. They supposed she became lonesome and despondent and decided to end it all.

HAS ANOTHER FIRE SCARE

Carthage People Excited When Small
Blaze is Discovered.

Fire scares are getting rather common at Carthage, but each time they create just as much excitement. Yesterday morning about seven thirty-five, blasts from the strawboard whistle, the fire signal, disturbed the early Sunday morning quiet of the town. Fire broke out in the home of William Parish. It caught around the flue from an overheated stove. The blaze was soon extinguished and the damage was small.

CITY LINE MEN WORK OVERTIME

Big Increase in the Number of Con-
sumers of the Electric Light
Service.

ON AVERAGE OF ONE A DAY

The city light plant is mighty busy these days and it can not be attributed to the holiday rush either. Electric lights are being installed in so many homes that the linemen are on the jump all the time and can not keep up with the new orders. Since September 1, sixty new customers have been added to the list, and since there has been a shortage of gas in some places many new orders have been coming in. Superintendent Mahin says that on the average one new customer is being obtained every day. He says the service is increasing by "leaps and bounds."

NEW CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

Gold Coins With Saint Gaudens De-
sign Have Been Received Here.

The Peoples' National bank has just received a shipment of the new government gold coins with the new Saint Gaudens design. They came in \$2.50, \$5, \$10 and \$20 denominations. Several have considered them desirable and acceptable for Christmas presents.

JUST A RUMOR.

New Castle Courier: A rumor has reached this city to the effect that requisition for an appropriation of \$18,000 has gone into the general offices of the L. E. & W. railroad company. These figures may be just a little high and again there may be nothing in the report. The statement is given for what it is worth.

THE WEATHER

Fair. Continued cold tonight and Tuesday.

Can we make it \$150.

INTEREST IN THE ROAD ELECTION

In Some Districts Over County Spir-
ited Contests Developed at the
Last Minute.

IN OTHERS NO VOTES CAST

Township Trustee Gregg Makes One
Appointment—Results in Other
Townships of County.

Road supervisors were elected in every district of the county Saturday afternoon. In the main the vote was light owing to the cold weather and a general lack of interest in the various townships over the result. However, in some places considerable interest was taken at the last minute and the two hours the polls were open had some appearance of a real election. In the south district of Anderson township, for instance, Will Ruddle was elected over three opponents. He did not announce himself until after 12 o'clock Saturday and the voting was spirited while it lasted.

Many farmers could not resist the temptation to come to the city Saturday—especially the Saturday before Christmas—and for that reason did not get to vote. This election, while not important from the standpoint of interest is extremely important in its real significance. The road supervisors are chosen for two years and every farmer and three-fourths of the city people know how important it is to have intelligent men in charge of the road building. The supervisor can not, according to law, receive pay for more than sixty days in the year. He is paid at the rate of \$2 a day.

The returns in the various townships show the following result:

Rushville township—No. 1, Isom Stevens, Democrat; No. 2, H. G. Sampson, Republican; No. 3, J. D. Thompson, Democrat. In the fourth district no voters appeared and David Sloan, the present supervisor has been appointed by Township Trustee Gregg.

Anderson township—South district, Will Ruddle; North district, Abe Lyons; Southeastern district, Frank Kinnett. All Republicans. Noble township—North district, Charles Smelser, Democrat; Charles Mercer, Democrat.

Richland township—John Ryan, Democrat; Bruce Hiatt, Republican. Walker township—No. 1, John Clingman, Democrat; No. 2, Theodore Brown, Republican; No. 3, Wash Westerfield, Democrat; No. 4, Lora Miller, Democrat.

Orange township—South district, Oliver Halterman, Democrat; North-east, Peter J. Wagoner; Southwest, John Woodard, Republican; Northwest, Fred Course, Democrat. There was considerable interest in the southern district, 79 out of the 97 votes being cast.

Center township—No. 1, James Steward, Republican; No. 2, Walter Rhodes, Democrat. In No. 1 115 votes were cast and in No. 2, 42.

Washington township—North district, Glen Shepler, Democrat; South, Dan Hayes, Democrat. Mr. Shepler received 23 out of 50 votes and Mr. Hayes 42 out of 84.

Union township—No. 1, E. B. Vickery; No. 2, William Hier; No. 3, J. J. Clifton; No. 4, John H. Morford. The other townships have not yet reported.

ON EVERY PAGE.

There is something of interest to you today on every page. The merchants are telling you what they have. Study their announcements carefully before taking your last whirl at Christmas shopping.

Can we make it \$150.

Daily Markets

Theo. H. Reed & Son are paying the following prices for grain—today, December 20, 1909:

Wheat	.....\$1.20
New Corn per bushel	..... 50
New Oats, per bushel	..... 35
Timothy Seeds, per bushel	..... 1.75
Clover Seed, per bushel	..... 7.00 to 8.00

The following are the ruling prices in the Rushville market, corrected to date—December 20, 1909:

POULTRY.

Spring Chickens, per pound	.....10c
Toms	..... 9c
Hens, on foot, per pound	.....10c
Geese, per pound	..... 6c
Ducks, per pound	.....10c
Turkeys, per pound	.....15c

PRODUCE.

Eggs, per dozen	.....26
Butter, country, per pound	.....20

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.
Wheat—Wagon, \$1.20; No. 2 red, \$1.23. Corn—No. 2, 60c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 45c. Hay—Baled, \$15.50 @ 16.00; timothy, \$15.00 @ 16.50; mixed, \$14.50 @ 15.50. Cattle—\$3.00 @ 7.75. Hogs—\$4.00 @ 8.65. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 4.50. Lambs—\$4.00 @ 7.75. Receipts—11,000 hogs; 1,450 cattle; 800 sheep.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.28. Corn—No. 2, 62c. Oats—No. 2, 47c. Cattle—\$2.50 @ 6.60. Hogs—\$5.50 @ 8.50. Sheep—\$2.00 @ 4.50. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 7.85.

At Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.29. Corn—No. 3, 60½c. Oats—No. 2, 45c. Cattle—Steers, \$3.00 @ 8.30; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 5.10. Hogs—\$5.50 @ 8.65. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 5.75. Lambs—\$4.50 @ 8.60.

At St. Louis.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.31½. Corn—No. 2, 62½c. Oats—No. 2, 44½c. Cattle—Steers, \$6.75 @ 8.20. Hogs—\$6.75 @ 8.65. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 5.55. Lambs—\$5.75 @ 8.00.

At East Buffalo.

Cattle—\$4.25 @ 8.25. Hogs—\$6.00 @ 8.55. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 5.75. Lambs—\$5.50 @ 8.60.

LEWIS SEEMS TO BE IN LEAD

President of Miners Will Probably Succeed Himself.

INDIANA WENT AGAINST HIM

Because of Revocation of the Charters of Certain Indiana Locals and the Resultant Fight Against the Ruling of the President, Lewis Lost the Vote of Indiana—In Illinois, Also, the Vote Showed a Large Falling Off From Him—Despite This, Lewis's Friends Say He Will Have a Larger Majority Than He Had Last Year.

Indianapolis, Dec. 20.—The ballots cast in the election of officers of the United Mine Workers of America, are being received at the national headquarters in this city and private advices accompanying them are regarded by the friends of Thomas Lewis as clearly indicating his re-election over William Green of Ohio.

Lewis is said to have carried the anthracite districts by a large majority and to have more than held his own in Iowa, Kansas and other western states. Green nearly divided the Ohio vote with Lewis, and in the bituminous fields of western Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia is said to have secured a majority.

In this state, because of the revocation of the charters of some locals which struck contrary to the rules of the organization and which were supported by the Indiana district officers against Lewis, Green received a majority of the Indiana vote, and it is believed that the vote in Illinois is close. Friends of Lewis claim that he will have a larger majority than he had last year, when a bitter fight was made against him.

WENT INTO DITCH

Passengers on Burlington Limited Have a Close Call Near Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Thirty-two persons injured, more than a dozen severely; every coach derailed and three overturned and partly demolished; the track torn up for more than 200 feet and the passengers who had crowded the train writhing under the debris were the results when the Oriental Limited over the Burlington broke a rail and was wrecked near Western Springs, Ill., a few miles west of La-grange.

Among the passengers was George H. Snowden, fiancé of Miss Louise Taft, niece of President Taft, who was on his way to New York from his home in Seattle, Wash., for his wedding. Dec. 20. That none of the passengers, many of whom were hastening to Chicago to join their families for Christmas, were killed seemed to those who viewed the wreck after the crash little short of a miracle. The groans of those unable to extricate themselves wrung the hearts of the men struggling in the zero temperature to release them. But in the end, danger of fire being removed by the fact that the train was heated by steam from the locomotive and lighted by electricity, all had been released and were being speeded to Chicago, La-grange and Aurora on relief trains. Some of the injured are in a critical condition because of the intense cold to which they were subjected.

HAS HAD ENOUGH

This Crook Found the Game He Was Playing to Be a Losing One.

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 20.—John Sullivan surrendered himself to the authorities here Sunday and told a remarkable story of his career as a crook. He first pretended to be a deserter from the United States army in Montana. Sullivan produced the full history of his career. His principal exploit, he said, was in robbing the post-office at Morgan, Va., Aug. 28, 1908, in which \$2,700 was secured. He gave the names of his accomplices as George Edwards, alias Portland Fatty, and John Williams, noted eastern crooks. He said the former is now serving time. He declared his home was in Lowell, Mass.; that he had served two terms in the Massachusetts penitentiary; had robbed a safe in Rochester, N. Y., for which he did time, and had also been arrested in New York city. He declared he had decided to give up the life of a crook, as he had found the game was a losing one. After explaining his crimes, he proposed to live an honest life, if possible to do so.

A Corn Boom in Kentucky.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 20.—At a meeting held here a permanent organization was formed for the purpose of holding a corn exposition annually in this city, the object of which is to interest the people of the Bluegrass region in the improvement in the grain, methods of cultivation and production of Indian corn.

Cracksmen at Speeds.

Henryville, Ind., Dec. 20.—The safe of the Louisville Cement company's general store at Speeds, ten miles south of Henryville, was blown up and a large amount of money stolen. The robbers gained entrance through a window.

LOOK ASKANCE UPON DR. MADRIZ

Nicaraguans See Zelaya Behind President Designate.

WAITING TO HEAR FROM KNOX

Until He Receives Official Advices Indicating the Attitude Our State Department Will Assume Toward Him, Dr. Madriz Is Himself Doubtful as to What His Attitude Will Be—Zelaya's Successor Received Only a Half-Hearted Welcome at Managua and Bloodshed Was Narrowly Averted Upon His Landing There.

Managua, Nicaragua, Dec. 20.—From Costa Rica by way of Corinto, Dr. Jose Madriz, to whom the congress has offered the presidency in succession to Zelaya, arrived here Sunday.

When he arrived at Corinto he was given the presidential salute, and was welcomed by delegates from the national assembly and by Zelaya supporters from various towns. This latter fact proves, if any doubt existed, that Dr. Madriz will prove little more than a pupil of the late president. A large crowd thronged the streets of Managua to see, if not to welcome, the president-designate. In the crowd were large numbers of fellow townsmen of Dr. Madriz, who escorted him from the wharf to the hotel.

The police and soldiers on duty were filled with the importance of the occasion and they handled the crowd rather roughly. This caused some protests couched in vigorous Spanish, which evidently frightened Dr. Madriz's friends. They acted as though they thought an attack was going to be made on him, and a number of them drew revolvers and threatened to kill anyone who interfered with him. There was at no time the slightest indication of animosity toward Dr. Madriz, although it can be said that a great number of the people of this province do not look upon his accession to the presidency with any degree of complacency. They believe that he has simply been given the office in order to carry out the "my policies" of Zelaya.

Dr. Madriz announced that he was prepared to accept the honor congress had conferred upon him, that he would administer the office in a spirit of fairness and justice to all, and would use his best efforts to advance the interest of Nicaragua both at home and abroad. He declared that he did not intend to be president of any particular section of the country, but of the entire republic, which indicates that he does not purpose to allow General Estrada to establish an independent republic along the Atlantic coast. There is great interest in the plans of General Estrada, now that events have resulted in a change in the presidency. It is stated that Dr. Madriz sent an envoy to consult with the revolutionary leaders at Bluefields. He was not allowed to land. General Estrada notifying him that he had no desire to hold any conferences with him. In some quarters this is taken to mean that General Estrada now intends to turn the revolution against Dr. Madriz and continue his efforts to gain the presidency himself, looking to the United States to support his pretensions.

Official advices are anxiously awaited indicating the attitude the United States will assume toward Dr. Madriz, who is himself doubtful as to what that attitude will be.

PLENTY OF PROFIT

In the Meat Business, as the Consumers Have Been Suspecting.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—The assertion of the United States department of agriculture that Chicago retail meat dealers make an average profit of 46 per cent has been affirmed by John H. Schofield, secretary of the American Association of Master Butchers. He has just completed an investigation following the statement by Secretary Wilson. According to a test he conducted, taking the price submitted by former Alderman George Duddlestone as an average, Schofield declares that from a single animal he would receive \$59, or a gross profit of \$19, which is 47½ per cent gross profit. Schofield asserts that when the retailers realize a smaller percentage, it is through failing to figure the disposal of the beeves correctly.

A Wool Pool Now Proposed.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 20.—The McLean County Union of the American Society of Equity will meet Jan. 4 at Calhoun, to put on foot a systematic plan by which the wool and lambs of the county may be handled for more profit.

Came to Unexpected Close.

Vienna, Dec. 20.—After a continuous session extending over eighty-six hours, the lower house of the reichsrath unexpectedly adjourned, thus giving a victory to the Czech and agrarian deputies.

Railroad Will Appeal.

Shepherdsville, Ky., Dec. 20.—Judge Jones has overruled the motion for a new trial in the Fonville case and the railroad will take the \$22,000 judgment to the court of appeals.

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I am 4 years old. I want a teddy bear, a dress, a dollie and go-cart, candy and bannas.
MARY PICKARD.

Dear Santa Claus
I am a big stiff 25 years old and always get short of funds about Xmas time. I would like to know if you could help a guy out to the of a round-trip ticket to Cincinnati and tickets to a couple of good shows while there.
TURK PRIEST.

P. S. f you don't accomodate me I will think you are an old grouch.
Rushville, Ind.

Dear Santa Claus.
Please bring me a go-cart, some books and games, a village and anything you want to bring.
Your little friend,
JEAN SPARKS.

Rushville, nd., Dec. 17, 1909.
Find enclosed 10 cents to help make Xmas a happy time for poor little boys and girls.
CASSEL BELL.

Dear Santa.
Please bring me a school dress, hair ribbon, a doll, story book, an orange, candy and bananas. I am a girl 11 years old.
IRENE PICKARD.

Dear Santa.
I am a boy 9 years old pleas bring me a fire engine, noah ark, pair of pants also gloves candy and bananas.
JOHN PICKARD.

Dear Santa.
I am a little girl 6 years old. I want a school dress, hair ribbon, a dollie and cab, also oranges candy and bananas.
BERTHA PICKARD.

Dear Santa Clause
I am a little girl 6 years old and go to school every day. Please bring me a doll, teddie bear, ring, hair ribbons, shoes, nuts, candy, oranges and etc. And don't forget the poor little children of Rushville.
Your little Friend
RENA ROUTE.

Rushville, Ind.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy nearly 3 years old. Please bring me a doll, horn, teddy-bear, train on track, ball and anything else you would like for me to have and don't forget my baby brother Roy he wants a ball and rattle-box.
Your little friend,
DONALD L. RENEGAR.
319 W. 10th St.

Dear Santa
I am a little boy seven years old. I go to school and am in the third grade. I wish you wood bring me a good watch, knife and an interesting book and don't forget my sister, Katherine, she wants a doll and red top shoes and doll clothes. Good bye.
CYRIL CARON.

Dear Santa
I want a muice roll and to games.
Your friend
MILDRED ONEAL.
632 N. Sexton St., Rushville.

Dear Santa
It is about time for you to come again so I thought I would write a few lines and tell you what I want. I want for Xmas a real watch and chain, a pair of fur gloves and as many books and games as you want to bring me, allso candy, nuts and oranges.
From your friend,
HOWARD J. STIERS.
P. S.—I send you 10 cents to buy something for some poor boy or girl.

Rushville, Ind.
Dear Santa Claus
I thought I would rite and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a nice sute of clothes a cap a pare of shoes a little hobbie horsie a popgun an moommie sade, she wanted a nue set of teeth an dont forget poppie.
Goodbye. Your Friend,
WILLIE CAREW.

P. S. Here is 1 sent to help some poor children that is all I could give cause Moommie sade it was enouf.
Dear Santa

For Xmas I want a new sute of clothes a air gun a watch. Here is a little ryme I made for you Santa
O Santa dear, I thought I'd rite And tell you what I'd like.
A spinning top
That never stops,
Some nuts and candy,
That will be dandy,
And a sute of clothes,
With those words I'll repose.
Good bye.
HENRY CAREW.

P. S. Bring mommie a watch so she can set it by the sun.

Rushville, Ind., Dec. 13, 1909.
Dear Santa
I am a little girl six years old and thought that I would write and tell you what I want. A little dresser to put my doll clothes in and a sewing, box candy, nuts and oranges and don't forget to go and see my little cousin, Frances. She wants a little table. Goodbye Santa.
From your little girl,
LILLIE F. SMITH.

Dear Santa Claus
I will write to tell you what I want for Xmas, a little wagon, drum, horn, little train and ears, little chair, candy, oranges, apples, nuts. I am a boy 4 years. I am good boy. Please Santa don't forget to come to
ELMER BENSON.
806 Morgan St., Rushville.

Dear Old Santa Claus
I will tell you what I want for Xmas, a doll and doll cab, little table and set of dishes, little chair, teddy bear, oranges, candy, nuts, burnams apples. I am a little girl too years old. Please dont forget he
LENA MERRIE BENSON.

Dear Old Santa Claus
I will tell you what I want, air gun, story book, little horse, fire wagon, a pair of gloves, a pair of overshoes No. 10, candy, oranges, apples, nuts, bernana. Don't forget Brother and little sister. I am 6 years old, go to school every day.
VIRGIL BENSON.
806 Morgan St.

Dear Old Santa
Dont forget me. I will tell you what I want. I want a doll that will go to sleep, a doll cab and a little stove, a set of dishes, a post card alben, a story book, scorf, a little wash board, a tub, candy, oranges, nuts, bernana. Don't forget to come. I am a little girl. I go to school every day. My name is
ORA HUDSON.
117 west 9 street.

Dear Santa
Here is 20 cents to buy some little boy or girl a present. From your little friends
MARJORIE ELLEN HILLIGOSS.
MAUDE AMANDA HILLIGOSS.

Telephone 3279 If You Want
Salt Rising Bread
HOME MADE PIES
Fancy Loaf Cake
For Parties and Receptions
A. W. Wilkinson

I. & C.
Traction Co.
HOLIDAY RATES
ROUND TRIP
From Rushville to
INDIANAPOLIS
\$1.20
CONNERSVILLE
55c
VERY LOW
ROUND TRIP RATES
to points in connecting lines
throughout Indiana
Local and interline excursion tickets will be on sale Dec. 24th; 25th, 31st, 1909, and Jan. 1st, 1910. Tickets will be limited returning until Jan. 3d, 1910.

PRE XMAS SALE

Plenty of Help
To Assist You
In Selecting
Your Needs

Plenty of Light
for Night
Trading. Trade
Early and Late

4 Big Days of Brisk Selling 4

Buy Your Furnishings and Clothing of the O. P. C. H. and Save Enough to Make Yourself a Handsome Gift

Clothes For Less Now

Mens' Suits that sold at \$18 and \$20, Pre-Xmas price.....\$12 50
Mens' Suits that sold at \$12.50 and \$15.00 Pre Xmas price.....\$8 50
Mens' Suits that sold at \$10 00 to \$12.50, Pre Xmas price,
\$7.50 and \$6 50

Buy the Worlds' Finest Clothing Now at a Big Discount
"Atherbery" and "Society Brand Clothes are all priced now at 20 Per Cent. below the regular price.

Overcoats at Pre Xmas Prices

Overcoats that sold up to \$10.00 Pre Xmas Price, \$3.50, \$6.50, \$7.50
Overcoats that sold up to \$15.00, Pre Xmas Price.....\$7 50 to \$10 00
Overcoats that sold up to \$20.00, Pre Xmas price..... \$12.50
All "Society Brand" and Atterbury Overcoats
20 Per Cent. Off Regular Price

Boys' and Childrens' Clothing

Proportionate reductions are made on all boys' and childrens' suits and Overcoats. Buy the Boys' needs now.

Xmas Vests for Less

All White and Fancy Vests that sold up to \$1 50, only.....98c
All White and Fancy Vests that sold up to \$2.00, only.....\$1.25
Other Vests at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

Sweaters and Sweater Coats at a Saving

Mens' and Boys' Sweaters in fine wool, all colors, that sold up to \$1.50, our price, now.....75c
Mens' and Boys' 50c and 75c Sweaters, only.....38c
Mens' and Boys' Sweater Coats, worth 75c, our price.....50c
Mens' and Boys' Sweater Coats, worth \$1 50, our price.....\$1.00

Trousers For Less

All Dress Trousers, Corduroys, Boys Knee Pants are offered at special low prices.

Gloves at Low Prices

Men's Silk Lined Mocha Gloves.....\$1.00
Mens' Fleeced lined Mocha and Kids, only.....50c
Boys' Black and Tan Gauntlets at.....50c
Others at.....25c, 50c, \$1.00 and up

Smoking Jackets, \$5.00 and \$6.00. Bath Robes \$4 00. Shawknit Fancy Hose, 6 pairs in Xmas box, \$1.50. 4 pair Fancy Hose, \$1.00

Holiday Neckwear for Less

Fine Silk four-in-hands, flowing ends, full made, assorted colors, st ipe, plaids, checks and plain colors, made of the regular 50c silks, exceptional values at..... 25c
The new 1¼ inch wide, 46 inch long four-in-hands, Black, Blue Green, Wine, etc. (also in bow strings) our Xmas price.....25c
The wash four-in-hands, regular 25c grades, our price 10c, 3 for 25c
Fine Knit Silk Four-in-hands, all colors, 50c valu-s, our price...25c
Fine Imported Silk in the new French Four-in-hands..... 50c
Silk Bows, 25c kind3 for 25c
Silk Tecks 25c. Silk Strings and Windsors.....25c

Christmas Boxes For All

Save on Handkerchiefs Here

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, extra large, plain white, figured and fancy borders, the kind you usually buy at 10c, now 4c 7 for 25c
Fancy and White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular 10c and 15c grades7c, or 4 for 25c
Fine Mercerized and Soft Finish Han'chiefs, 15c grade, 10c 3 for 25c
Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs at.....15c, 25c, 35c and 50c.
Initial Handkerchiefs at..... 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c

Xmas Mufflers at a Saving

Mercerized Phoenix Style Mufflers, all colors.....25c
Knit Wool Mufflers, 50c grades, now only.....38c
Reefers that sold at 50c, all Patterns, only..... 25c
All Silk Mufflers that sold up to \$1.00, now.....75c and 50c
All Silk Mufflers that sold up to \$2.00 now\$1.50 and \$1.00
All-Wool Ways Mufflers worth up to \$1.00, only..... 38c

Plain and Fancy Hose at a Saving

Dozens of Hose in Fancy Pattsrns, Blacks, Tans, Wine, Greens, etc., that usually sell at 15c, our Xmas price10c, 3 for 25c
Fancy and plain Hose that usually sell up to 25c, a great assortment to choose from, only.....15c, 2 for 25c
The regular \$1.50 guaranteed Hose, box sf 6 pair.....98c
All 50c plain and fancy Hose.....35c, 3 for \$1.00

Xmas Boxes For All

Save Now on all Your Xmas Needs at the O. P. C. H.

Umbrellas at\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2 00, \$2.50, \$3.00 up to \$5.00
Suit Cases.....\$1.00 \$12 50
Traveling Bags.....\$3.00 to \$12.50
Trunks.....\$3.00 to \$15.00
Suspenders in Xmas Boxes, Hats, Caps, Underwear, Shirts, Night Robes, Belts in Xmas Boxes, Coat Hangers, Fur Overcoats, Slip-on Overcoats, etc.

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Until 9 O'clock

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To Your Home

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One year delivered by mail.....\$3.00

TELEPHONE NUMBER, 1111.

CLAUDE SIMPSON, News Editor.

ROY HARROLD, City Editor.

Monday, December 20, 1909.

Do not write any messages on the Christmas packages you send through the postoffice, nor inclose any written letters inside with wishes of a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Messages about delivery of Christmas packages or when they are to be opened will increase the amount of postage on them. The postal employees will inquire whether there is any writing in Christmas packages, and they are authorized to examine and inspect all packages where they are suspicious that an attempt is being made to violate the postal laws. All persons caught so violating the postal laws will be liable to a fine of at least \$10.

EDITORIALETTES

The weather man seems to be naturally cold hearted any more.

That's all right. Fight your way through to buy your Christmas presents. It's one of the pleasures of late shopping.

Don't worry about the big hole in the coal bin. Just wait until real winter begins.

If New Castle has a few more elections and a contest or two every boy there ought to be fairly well acquainted with the election laws. Four elections up there in the last few months.

Really doesn't matter much though whether the new road supervisor is a Democrat or Republican just so all the sod is not scraped up and left in the middle of the road.

The advertising news is about the best there is nowadays anyway. There are a lot of bargains announced on every page today.

Let's all get together now and make the total \$150 in the Santa Claus fund. Easy to do you know, and it's for a mighty good cause.

Quite an honor to have the privilege of hearing Sheriff King's last "hear ye."

The cynic is the man who has had an experience which he can't talk about to all his friends.

Eczema Readily Cured by a Simple Home Treatment.

A simple clean remedy that can be used in the home is what every person desires who is suffering from eczema. You can now have that remedy and get instant relief, and be cured permanently by ZEMO, a clean vegetable liquid for external use. ZEMO cures skin diseases by drawing the germs and their poisons, that cause the disease, to the surface of the skin and destroying them, leaving the skin and healthy. Mr. F. E. Wolcott, the druggist, will give you a booklet and a sample bottle of ZEMO and will explain to you how a great many cases of eczema and other forms of skin diseases have been cured by this simple home treatment.

Best by Test, Fair Promise Cigar.

A fresh car load of that good salt at Flinn's 23716

Some Postal Rules For the Xmas Rush

Rule 1. Always be sure to ask the carrier if that is all. The monotony of the question is soothing to his nerves and it exercises the nerve of the patron.

Rule 2. Never fail to write your name in the wrong place upon the register receipt slip and card. What the carrier says when out of ear shot is intended for the birds only.

Rule 3. Let the carrier rap or ring twice before you respond once.

Rule 4. Stand inside the door and pull the lace curtain back and watch the carrier until he gets out of patience and starts off and then open the door and say sweetly: "Did you ring twice?"

Rule 5. Send the smallest child in the house to the door and be sure the door is locked.

Rule 6. Ask the carrier if he is not late, and before he can reply ask him what time it is.

Rule 7. Tell him that your friends wrote you last Thursday and you have not gotten the letter yet. When he tells you that he has not seen the letter, tell him "That's funny." Letter carriers have X-ray eyes and follow and keep tab upon every letter in the United States.

Rule 8. Ask the carrier to wait while you run up to the third floor and get a stamp that you forgot.

Rule 9. Call across the street to the carrier and tell him that you want your mail first. You are entitled to your mail before anyone else.

Rule 10. Ask the carrier to bring you a one cent stamp the next trip, and please not forget it, and when he comes again tell him that you have changed your mind and do not want it now.

Rule 11. Ask the carrier to please ask the postmaster to search the office and see if there is not a letter of yours lying about somewhere.

Rule 12. When a holiday comes write to the postmaster and tell him the carrier did not come around yesterday afternoon. This will be information to him.

Rule 13. Ask the carrier to register a letter for you and then hand him a \$20 bill to take the fee out.

Rule 14. Give your letter to your husband to mail for you and then start a tracer to find it in his pocket. Inspectors like to work upon fake cases. By carefully following the above rules you can make the most pessimistic carrier an optimist.

Smoke FAIR PROMISE Cigars.

At any time and at all times Pine-salve Carbolyzed will be found just what is needed for burns cuts and bruises. It is sold here by Lytle's Drug Store.

Manicuring and Massage.

I have opened a manicuring and massage parlor at 515 East Eighth street and am ready to receive callers at any time. Well experienced and satisfaction guaranteed. Also all chiropoding work done. Will call at residence if desired. 2361f EDNA DERRICKSON.

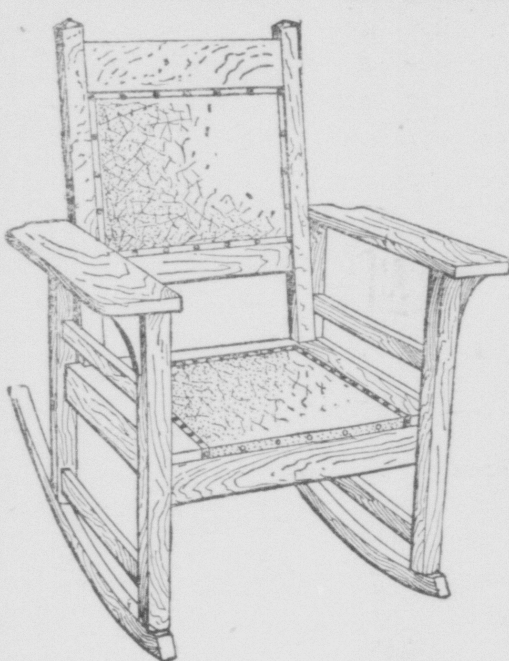
Hair Goods.

Mrs. Banta will be at the Innis boarding house until January first with a full line of Hair Goods and Specialties. 228t18

THE QUALITY FURNITURE STORE

In Full Blast

....Our Grand Opening Saturday was a Great Success. Fifteen Hundred people visited our beautiful store during the day and evening. Our Splendid lines of New Furniture for Xmas was the talk of the great crowd. It will pay you to visit us for Xmas shopping in our line. We carry the Goods and Our Prices are Attractive.



CHAIRS - CHAIRS - CHAIRS

..What makes a more appropriate Xmas present than a good comfortable Rocker?

Genuine leather Turkish Rockers \$24.00 to \$50.00
Solid Oak Rockers from \$4.00 to \$25.00
Mahogany Rockers from \$3.50 to \$35.00
Early English and Fumed Oak Rockers \$4.00 to \$20
Our Special Willow Rocker full size well made good style \$2.98



LIBRARY TABLES

....Our Stock never was so complete. We have 40 Library Tables to show you in Golden Oak, polished, Early English wax finish, Mahogany both wax finished and polished. Ask to see Our Special Table, one of the best Values ever offered.

26 x42 top, 3 inch leg, place for magazines on bottom shelf.

Early English or Golden Oak \$7.48
(Sears, Roebuck can't touch 'em.)

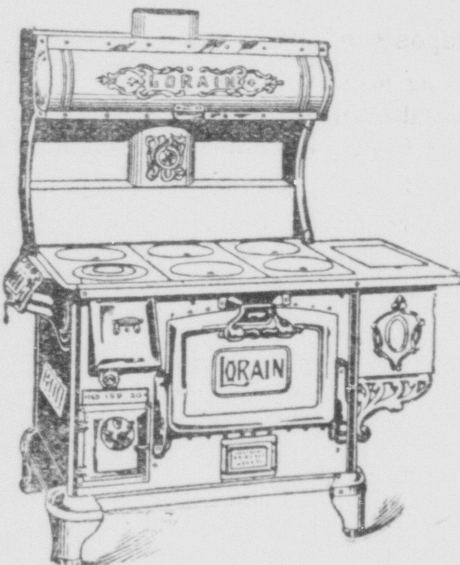


KITCHEN CABINETS

....Save Steps, and we have line that is sure to please you.

Our No 95 is a dandy Oak Cabinet large and roomy with Nickel top for \$15.00

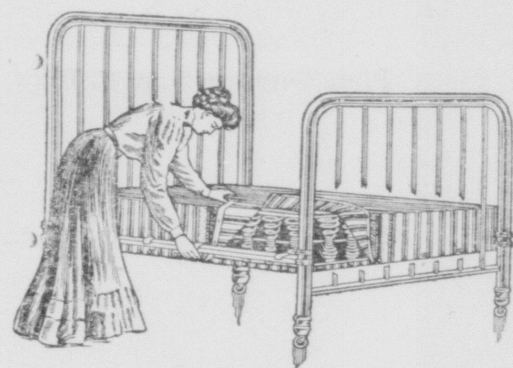
Visit our Cabinet Dep't on 2nd floor, get our prices, we are glad to show you whether you purchase or not.



STOVES TO BURN

....This handsome Steel Range is guaranteed in every respect, made by the National Stove Co. It is a splendid baker, large roomy arched oven 18 gauge, steel asbestos lined body. Copper Reservoir. Best Stove on Earth for the price \$40.00

See our line of Gas and Coal Heaters.



Box Springs

....This is the celebrated Royal Blue Spring, can be used with or without a cover.

....The Sanitary features of this Spring is worth something to you.

....This would be a very appropriate Xmas present, ask to see it

RUG DEPARTMENT

Just received a new lot of beautiful Rugs.

4-6 x 7-6 Axminsters, Best Quality	\$10.00
Tapestry Brussels, 6 x 9, 9 x 11, 9 x 12,	\$10.00, \$12.48, and \$17.50
9 x 12 Extra fine Axminster Rugs	\$25.00
9 x 12 Kymie Willows, beautiful patterns	\$40.00
9 x 12 Biglow Electra Oriental patterns	\$ 350
A full line of small rugs all sizes and prices.	

Music Cabinets

If you want a Music Cabinet we can certainly please you. Oak, Walnut, Mahogany and Circassian Walnut. This has the New Automatic Shelves. Ranging in price from \$7.00 to \$20.00, give us a call.

Only four more days
until Xmas
give us
a call and
we will
do the
rest.

We Deliver Goods Free in Rush County.

O. H. Bradway

Main and 3rd St.

Phone 1668

Our Store is a
credit to
Rush County
Buy Goods
at home
don't be
deceived.

All Certificates on the MULNO & GUFFIN PIANO

TO BE GIVEN AWAY FREE

Must be in by Wednesday Evening, December 29th. Contest Closes Promptly at 8 P.M.

ALWAYS
GOOD

FAIR PROMISE

5c CIGARS
TRY THEM

LOCAL NEWS

Can we make it \$150.

Miss Nellie Brandon is ill at her home south of this city.

Miss Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Innis of North Harrison street is ill.

An eight pound girl was born to the wife of Ralph Riddout living south of the city last night.

Mrs. Peter Schetgen is suffering with a slight illness at her home in North Harrison street.

Mrs. Harry Kramer is suffering with an attack of the gripe at her home in North Harrison street.

Those penny boxes will be at the five cent theaters tonight. Just a nickel from you will be appreciated.

Nobody will ask you to drop something in the penny boxes tonight. Just do it of your own accord. They will be at the five cent theaters.

There will be a called meeting of Martha Poe chapter No. 143 Order Eastern Star Wednesday evening for the purpose of installing officers. A full attendance is desired.

Better go to the shows tonight. Good bills. And the Republican Santa Claus boxes will be there to receive a penny, a nickel, a dime or anything else you want to give. Don't ignore them.

Best by Test, Fair Promise Cigar.

We want you to try ManZan in cases of Piles. This excellent remedy is being used by a great many people with satisfactory results. Sold by Lytle's Drug Store.

Do not forget the place—McCarty's for picture framing. 235tf

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Cured His Hogs.

J. A. Scott, Avon, Ky., says: "Bourbon HogCholera Remedy cured could possibly be saved." Sold by F. some hogs for me that I did not think E. Wolcott.

DEPUTY TRUSTEE PERFORMED DUTY

Ira Somerville Acted For Frank D. Kinnett in Anderson Township Election Saturday.

INJURED RECENTLY BY A FALL

Ira Somerville of Anderson township was deputized to act as township trustee Saturday for the election of the supervisors on account of the trustee, John D. Kinnett being confined to his home by an injury which he received recently. One week ago last Saturday evening Mr. Kinnett slipped on the ice and fell, sustaining a very severe injury to his left shoulder. The muscles in his shoulder were torn loose and several of his ribs on that side were also pulled loose. His injury will keep him confined to his bed several days.

DEATH OF DANIEL KENNER

Former Rushville Man Passes Away in Western State.

Daniel Kenner, formerly of this city died in Iowa according to information received here today. He was well known in this city. He was a brother of Ralph Kenner of this city, Charles Kenner who lives southeast of this city, and Frank Kenner of Indianapolis, formerly of this city. The details of his death have not been learned.

Smoke FAIR PROMISE Cigars.

The best pills are Rings Little Liver Pills. They are easy to take, pleasant in effect and gentle in action. Sold by Lytle's Drug Store.

For an early breakfast, take home Mrs. Austins pancake flour. Ready in a minute.

Put that money in the Santa Claus box today. It will soon be too late.

DIED AT THE SANITARIUM

Mrs. Curtis Stamm Succumbed Late This Afternoon.

Mrs. Curtis Stamm died at the Sexton sanitarium this afternoon about three o'clock. She was operated on last Wednesday and seemed to be recovering when she grew worse. The husband of the deceased is employed at the Merrill grocery store. The funeral arrangements will be announced tomorrow.

DEATH FOLLOWS ILLNESS

Miss Frances Fielding, Age 75, Dies at Brother's Home.

Miss Frances Fielding, 75 years old, died late this afternoon at the home of her brother, Joseph Fielding, in Glenwood. Miss Fielding had been sick for some time and her death was not unexpected. Further details will be given tomorrow.

LITTLE SONGS FOR LITTLE SINGERS.

Composed by a Friend of Mrs. George Caldwell.

Bernice C. Gaines of Minneapolis, Minn., has written a book of original songs, entitled "Little Songs For Little Singers." It is suitable for home and supplementary school work. This book differs from many large school song-books, which have only a few selections that can be made use of, while every selection in "Little Songs" will have its place.

Prof. Willard Patten, composer of the "Israhah," and oratorio sung in all our largest cities, as well as abroad, writes the following synopsis: "Little Songs for Little Singers," by Bernice C. Gaines, is a collection of original pieces perfectly adapted to the comprehension and capacity of children from four to ten years old; dainty, melodious and contagious. The pieces are partly adapted and partly original. The action songs and marches are striking and easy. Accompaniments are smooth and clear, while not difficult. Too many of the so-called children's songs, now extant, are complicated and over the heads of the little ones. "Little Songs" are just right, bright and breezy and easy enough for all to learn and enjoy.

An extract from a letter written by Mrs. J. W. Thompson of Minneapolis, is: "Nothing could be more appropriate than the title you have given your books, and I am so glad that it is meeting with such good success. We liked the pieces so much. My sister and her children came over and we played and sang them all, much to the delight of the little folks, as well as the 'grown-ups.' This is a dark, drizzly afternoon, but your songs have made sunshine for us all day."

Because of her interest in child development, and her friendship for Mrs. Bernice Gaines, Mrs. George H. Caldwell has ordered several dozen copies of the book, which are on sale for holiday trade. The books retail for 75 cents each.

Any Magazine Subscription.

Don't forget that I take subscriptions for any periodical published anywhere. Can save you money on magazines or papers, either singly or in clubs. See me at Morris & Bassler's or have me call at your home. 233tf W. E. CLIFTON.

TUESDAY WILL BE SHORTEST DAY

That Long Sleep of Winter Comes Tomorrow Night so Get Ready.

FEWEST HOURS OF SUNSHINE

While many, perhaps, would say that for practical purposes winter had arrived, yet from an astronomical and scientific standpoint, we have not reached that season yet, but will Tuesday, at which time we will have the longest night of the year 1909, and consequently the shortest day.

Therefore on this day you will have less work from sun to sun, and the long sweet sleep of the season can be enjoyed in the fullness of the long winter night.

At this time the old earth receives its fewest hours of sunshine on its northern half, and "Old Sol's" rays are the most oblique in striking its surface, these being the two reasons for the cold weather that we experience at this season. For as a matter of fact we are at this time 3,000,000 miles nearer the sun than on the 21st day of June, when we are filling the ice box and hunting the shady side of the street.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned the Board of Commissioners of the county of Rush and State of Indiana, will up until 2 o'clock on Monday, January 3, 1910,

receive sealed bids for the following: Supplies for court house janitor and for the jail for the year 1910, as per requisitions on file in the auditor's office.

Bids are to be made separately on each of the above named items.

Bids must be accompanied by a bond or check and an affidavit as required by law.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Witness our hands this 15th day of December, 1909.

CHARLES H. LYONS,
CHARLES H. KELSO,
THOMAS J. HUMES,
Commissioners.

Attest: Jesse M. Stone,
Auditor Rush County, Indiana.
W-Dec. 21st

Notice to Bidders.

The Board of Trustees of the Indiana Soldiers and Sailors Orphans Home of Knightstown, Ind., will receive bids for supplies for the months of January, February and March, 1910; said bids to be submitted not later than January 1st, 1910. By order of Board.

W. T. Stott, Superintendent.
Dec21&24d&w

Best by Test, Fair Promise Cigar.

Walter's Famous Butler County Pure Pennsylvania Buckwheat Flour. At your grocers.

PENNSYLVANIA LINES
Christmas and New Year HOLIDAY Excursions
Dec. 24, 25, 31, 1909, Jan. 1, 1910
For Particulars Inquire at Ticket Offices

See the New Bissell

Ball Bearing Carpet Sweeper
at \$2.75. It is a Beauty
99c STORE

CHRISTMAS DINNER

Buy your Xmas order of us. You will get the best the market offers, and your dinner will be a complete success. Prices always reasonable.

L. L. ALLEN, GROCER

327-326 Main St.

Phone 1420.

OUR HANDSOME PACKAGES OF

Christmas Candies

can not be equalled, neither for beauty of design nor quality of contents

The Greek Candy Store

STAR GRAND TONIGHT

"A Good Lesson in Charity"

and

"Sam's Artistic Beard"

SONG

"Give Me Just One More Chance"

We Have Changed to the Lieber Co. Films and Can Give the Public Better Service.

The Baby Contest continues tonight. See the babies.

ALWAYS A GOOD SHOW
A SMALL PRICE

7 to 10:00 Each Evening
5c Admission 5c

STAR GRAND THEATER TONIGHT

(Biograph)

FILM

"In a Hempen Bag."

(Drama)

"The Test"

(Comedy)

SONG

'My Bonnie Blue Bell'

Mr. Earl Robertson,

5c ADMISSION 5c

STAR-GRAND
UP-TO-DATE

Christmas

"May your Christmas Joy be as bright as the berries, on the Holly Wreath—and your Christmas Memories like the Christmas Tree—evergreen!"

By the way, What's so suitable for Xmas Gifts as Good Footwear.

Practical, useful and always appreciated.

Our Christmas footwear is on display and the showing is fine. Its well worth seeing.

We'll make any exchanges desired after Xmas. Come and our spread.

CASADY & COX
RUSHVILLE, INDIANA

Money For Christmas

We are the old reliable home company that will loan you money on your household goods, pains and all kinds of personal property. You can pay back in easy weekly payments. We will let you have from \$5.00 up. Borrow of us.

Peoples Loan Company,

Rooms 7-8-9, Miller Law Building,
Phone 1453 or 1529

Rushville, Ind.

A Few Christmas Suggestions for Early Shoppers

Ladies' Purses, Card Cases, Perfumes, Toilet Water, Fine Candies, Manicure Sets, Hair and Clothes Brushes, Hand, Shopping, Party and Opera Bags, Fine Box Paper, Music Rolls, Post Card Albums, Gents' Smoking Sets, Cigars, Shaving Sets, Safety Razors, Tobacco Jars, Cigar Cases.

Come and Look Before You Buy.

The Rexall Store

LYTTLES DRUG STORE

The Rexall Store

GET A Storm Buggy OF E. A. Lee

The Quality and
Price are Right

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in his mind, and to reach a decision.

"Miss Innes," he said, "I am in a peculiar position; I understand your attitude, of course; but—do you think you are wise? Ever since you have come here there have been hostile demonstrations against you and your family. I'm not a croaker, but—take a warning. Leave before anything occurs that will cause you a life-long regret."

"I am willing to take the responsibility," I said coldly.

I think he gave me up then as a poor proposition. He asked to be shown where Arnold Armstrong's body had been found, and I took him there. He scrutinized the whole place carefully, examining the stairs and the lock. When he had taken a formal farewell I was confident of one thing. Dr. Walker would do anything he could to get me away from Sunnyside.

CHAPTER XXI.

Fourteen Elm Street.

It was Monday evening when we found the body of poor Thomas. Monday night had been uneventful; things were quiet at the house and the peculiar circumstances of the old man's death had been carefully kept from the servants. Rosie took charge of the dining room and pantry, in the absence of a butler, and, except for the warning of the Casanova doctor, everything breathed of peace.

Affairs at the Traders' bank were progressing slowly. The failure had hit small stockholders very hard, the minister of the little Methodist chapel in Casanova among them. He had received as a legacy from an uncle a few shares of stock in the Traders' bank, and now his joy was turned to bitterness; he had to sacrifice everything he had in the world, and his feeling against Paul Armstrong, dead, as he was, must have been bitter in the extreme. He was asked to officiate at the simple services when the dead banker's body was interred in Casanova churchyard, but the good man providentially took cold, and a substitute was called in.

A few days after the services he called to see me, a kind-faced little man, in a very bad frock-coat and laundered tie. I think he was uncertain as to my connection with the Armstrong family, and dubious whether I considered Mr. Armstrong's taking away a matter for condolence or congratulation. He was not long in doubt.

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Some Rushville People Fail to Realize the Seriousness of a Bad Back.

The constant aching of a bad back. The weariness, the tired feeling. The pains and aches of kidney ills. Are serious if neglected.

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Every woman may write fully and confidentially to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and may be sure that her case will receive careful, conscientious, confidential consideration, and that the best medical advice in the world will be given to her, absolutely free.

In addition to this free advice, Dr. Pierce will send a fine French cloth-bound copy of his great 1000-page book, "The Common Sense Medical Adviser," to any woman who will send 31 one-cent stamps to pay the cost of mailing only.

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Have them in any style you want. Some of them were made way back in the forties I think. Come and take your choice. \$5.00 and up in price.

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I have the latest thing out in Buggy Harness. You never looked at anything like this harness. Call. The prices are right. If you want heavy work Harness I have them all hand made any kind you want. Come leave your orders for spring.

I am closing out a lot of feed Baskets, all made of oak, at about cost. I am selling the Reade Halter a 20c each for the next thirty days. (Regular price, 25c.) I handle about everything you want. If I don't I send for it. I am selling the Star Feed Grinder. Nothing better.

J. W. Tompkins

I liked the little man. He had known Thomas well, and had promised to officiate at the services in the rickety African Zion church. He told me more of himself than he knew, and before he left I astonished him—and myself, I admit—by promising a new carpet for his church. He was much affected, and I gathered that he had yearned over his ragged chapel as a mother over a half-clothed child.

"You are laying up treasures, Miss Innes," he said brokenly, "where neither moth nor rust corrupt, nor thieves break through and steal."

I sent him home in the car, with a bunch of hothouse roses for his wife, and he was quite overwhelmed. As for me, I had a generous glow that was cheap at the price of a church carpet. I received less gratification—and less gratitude—when I presented the new silver communion set to St. Barnabas.

I had a great many things to think about in these days. I made a list of questions and possible answers, but I seemed only to be working around in a circle. I always ended where I began. The list was something like this:

Who had entered the house the night before the murder?

Thomas claimed it was Mr. Bailey, whom he had seen on the foot-path, and who owned the pearl cuff-link.

Why did Arnold Armstrong come back after he had left the house the night he was killed?

No answer. Was it on the mission Louise had mentioned?

Who admitted him?

Gertrude said she had locked the east entry. There was no key on the dead

man or in the door. He must have been admitted from within.

Who had been locked in the clothes chute?

Some one unfamiliar with the house, evidently. Only two people missing from the household, Rosie and Gertrude. Rosie had been at the lodge. Therefore—but was it Gertrude? Might it not have been the mysterious intruder again?

Who had accosted Rosie on the drive? Again—perhaps the nightly visitor. It seemed more likely some one who suspected a secret at the lodge. Was Louise under surveillance?

To be Continued.

Smoke FAIR PROMISE Cigars.

Do not forget the place—McCarty's for picture framing. 235tf

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Cured His Hogs.

J. A. Scott, Avon, Ky., says: "Bourbon Hog Cholera Remedy cured could possibly be saved." Sold by F. some hogs for me that I did not think E. Wolcott.

For an early breakfast, take home Mrs. Austins pancake flour. Ready in a minute.

Smoke FAIR PROMISE Cigars.

Hair Goods.

Mrs. Banta will be at the Innis boarding house until January first with a full line of Hair Goods and Specialties. 228t18

Walter's Famous Butler County Pure Pennsylvania Buckwheat Flour. At your grocers.

The best pills are Rings Little Liver Pills. They are easy to take, pleasant in effect and gentle in action. Sold by Lytle's Drug Store.

A fresh car load of that good salt at Flinn's 237t6

Don't fail to see McCarty's line of Xmas mirrors. Make fine presents. 235tf

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Don't forget that I take subscriptions for any periodical published anywhere. Can save you money on magazines or papers, either singly or in clubs. See me at Morris & Bassler's or have me call at your home. 233tf W. E. CLIFTON.

Election Notice.

Ivy Lodge No. 27, K. of P. will elect a trustee to serve for a term of three years on Monday night, December 27th.

BERT CONDE, C. C.

235tf G. E. MUIRE, K. R. & S.

What is a Home Without a Baby or a Singer Sewing Machine.

A new sewing machine would make a dandy Xmas present for your wife. Am agent for both Singer and Wheeler & Wilson machine. Buy her one and make her happy. Special prices from now on until Xmas—\$55 machines for \$35; \$51 machines for \$30. Call phone 1645 or 1455. F. W. Lowe, agent, with Abercrombie Bros., jewelers, 233 North Main St. 233t15.



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Leather Table
Covers
In red, green and
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What Our Neighbors Are Talking About

INSANE ENJOY PICTURES.

(Richmond Palladium.)

An exceedingly new and novel method for the treatment of the insane has been adopted by Superintendent S. E. Smith of Easthaven. The method consists of showing moving pictures to the patients. Just recently a moving picture machine has been installed in the hospital and the institution has been placed on a regular circuit, receiving new films twice a week.

Dr. Smith states that practically the whole secret of treating insane patients is in keeping their minds occupied and interested in something. Great interest is displayed by the patients in the moving pictures and they look forward to each new film with an added degree of pleasure. So real and life-like do some of the pictures appear to the demented spectators that some cannot contain their enthusiasm and shout directions to the different characters in the pictures.

There is a vast difference in the way patients are affected by the pictures. What may move one to tears may appear ridiculously funny to another, whose mirth provoking laughter only serves to increase the tears of the more emotional.

The more dangerous or incurable patients are not permitted to witness the moving pictures. Attendants are scattered among the audience during the performance and very little difficulty is experienced, it is said, in keeping the spectators orderly.

TRACTION NEWS.

(Connersville News.)

At the last moment yesterday, August M. Kuhn, president of the proposed C. G. & R. traction company found that he could not fill his

appointment here with the Commercial club. The proposed road, however, was represented by R. E. Moore, secretary, Indianapolis; Edwin E. Fee, a wealthy farmer of Clarksburg; C. F. McConaha of Richmond, and W. J. Gemmill, banker of Clarksburg.

M. A. Peoples, vice president, and general manager of the Covington & Southwestern Traction company of Chicago, was also present in the line of a promoter of the enterprise.

They said this was their first visit to any point along the line with this purpose in view and Connersville was favored as it was known abroad to be a progressive city with an up-to-date Commercial club.

The plan on the covington line is similar to the one proposed here. The company sought and obtained subscribers for first mortgage 5 per cent. gold bonds for one-third the cost of the road. The company then builds the road and collects for the bonds subscribed for in the territory where the work is done and then pushes on over another section. Mr. Peoples left the inference that western capitalists paid for the other two-thirds of the expense. He estimates that the local line can be built, including rails and trolley, for \$16,500 per mile. He claims that he can do the work and do it well for that money by being his own purchasing agent and giving the work his personal attention. He says sub-contracting for grading, bridge building and the like greatly add to the cost.

At that rate the amount of first mortgage bond subscriptions necessary would be \$5500 per mile or less than is often voted away in township subsidies.

While the Commercial club does not wish to go on record in the matter without full investigation, they nevertheless feel that the enterprise is worthy of respectful consideration.

BOOSTERS' CLUB.

(Greenfield Tribune.)

The young men of Greenfield are preparing to organize the long needed

boosters' club, which it is expected will take the place of the Board of Trade whose boom died down a few weeks ago. They see that the older citizens are doing nothing so they are getting busy and organization will be perfected soon. The first meeting will take place a short time after New Years. A paper is being prepared to which all boomers whether in business here or not are expected to sign their names. Thus with many names on the list applying for

TEN YEARS IN TORMENT

A Wonderful Escape From Torture.

While the Root Juice demonstrations were being conducted at Lafayette, Ind., Mr. A. C. Roberts, a traveling man, rushed into the drug store and grabbed the scientist by the hand and said: "There is no man on earth whom I would rather shake hands with than yourself. Through your great discovery I made a wonderful escape from torment. This world was a perfect torture for me for over ten years. Every dollar I could rake and scrape I gave to doctors and paid for medicine without anything more than momentary relief. My principal troubles were in my stomach, bowels and back. My kidneys gave me so much trouble I had to get up from ten to fifteen times a night and if red-hot coals were kept on my back I don't believe I would have suffered more. The doctors said my stomach was lined with gastric ulcers. One bite of solid food would put me in misery. I was dyspeptic, constipated, sallow, weak and nervous all the time, but the first bottle of Root Juice made a wonderful change for the better in my condition. I took about five bottles of the Juice and I don't believe that an angel from heaven could be any happier than I am now. I feel like a new being, and will never stop praising Root Juice as long as I live." The Juice has made scores of cures here, as anyone can learn by going to Wolcott's drug store.

membership into the club many more would undoubtedly come into the fold. Two business men who are willing to do everything possible for a meeting place. The moving spirits in the formation of the club have not yet accepted either offer, but cordially thank them both.

THREATS.

(Shelbyville News.)

Some excitement exists in the St. Vincent community as the result of an anonymous letter, threatening the destruction of the Y. M. I. hall, which has been received by George Hammele of Waldron, the contractor who is erecting the building.

"You got the contract to put up that building," said the writer of the letter, "but it won't do you any good. This is what will happen to the place some fine night." Then followed a picture of a bomb with fuse burning, suggesting that the building might be blown to four winds of heaven. The letter was postmarked Shelbyville.

The tone of the letter seems to indicate that it might have been sent by some disappointed contractor, but Mr. Hammele is loath to believe that any of the men who bid unsuccessfully for the contract would stoop to anything so low by way of revenge on account of a fancied grievance.

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Electric Massage, the health food for the face, ladies or gentlemen. At the Big 4 barber shop.
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Want Ad Department

Advertisements under this head are charged for at the rate of 2 cents per line for each insertion. The same Ad will be placed in the Indianapolis Star and Daily Republican at the combined rate of 6 cents per line of six words. Found articles of small value will be advertised free of charge.

WHITE WYANDOTTES—A few high grade White Wyandotte Cockerels for sale. Ned Abercrombie, 1115 N. Main St. Telephone 1647. 24116

WANTED—A hustling young man with rig. \$30 per week. Apply at Windsor Hotel between 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. December 22. 24111

FARMS FOR SALE—275 acres, 160 acres, 240 acres, 225 acres, 120 acres, 80 acres. Best Rush county farms. \$100 to \$150 per acre. Well improved. Address Box 15, Rushville, Indiana. 24011.

WOOD FOR SALE—beach and sugar for heating or cook stove. T. A. Coleman. Phone 3125. 2381f

WANTED—Plain sewing to do. Call at 613 West Ninth street or phone 3354. 23716

WANTED TO BUY—A good gentle mare, not afraid of the cars; to weigh from 1200 to 1400 pounds. See or phone American Express. 23516

FOR SALE—A large soft coal burner nearly new at a great bargain. Inquire of G. W. Young. 23416

FOR SALE—Drum for heating, \$2.00. Singer sewing machine in good condition, \$7.00; also a radiator at a bargain. Mrs. Denny Ryan, 226 North Perkins street. 2291f

FOR SALE—Stock tank, galvanized iron, 12 barrels, in good condition. Call at Rushville Steam Laundry. 2291f

FOR SALE—Wood for cook and heating purposes. Ruddle & Readle. Phone 4105 1L 1S. 2191f

POTASH MANURE—is the Best Known Corn Fertilizer. Try some of it. Price is right. Sold by E. A. Lee. 261f

BULL FOR SALE—One two-year-old registered Hereford Bull, Splendid Spur, No. 258408. Lambert & McMillin. 1651f

HAY WANTED—A Timothy hay. Phone, write or call on E. A. Lee 2621f

THINK ABOUT THIS—When sending money to publishers for magazines you send the full amount out of town. Leave your subscription with Hargrove & Mullin and keep a little at home. 2111f

For Him—A 25 box of Demmer's Bonds will make an ideal Christmas gift. He knows they're good. At all dealers or at Demmer's. 224122

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and effective. It removes the cause and the disease quickly disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents and \$1 Sold by Hargrove & Mullin, drug gists. 202178

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup is recommended, especially by mothers in cases of colds or coughs. It drives the cold from the system through the bowels, and at the same time heals irritation of the throat and allays inflammation. Sold by Lytle's Drug Store.

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Big Four Route

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WANTED—A good man to take the agency of Rush county for the Wescott 5 passenger touring car, 40 horse; first class car at a moderate price. Agent must have one car to show. Address Wescott Motor Car Co., Richmond, Ind. 23714

WANTED—An experienced man to work in store through holiday business. L. L. Allen, Grocer. Phone 1420. 2371f

FARMS FOR SALE—trade or rent. 62 acre, well improved, well located Jefferson county farm, good buildings, fenced and cross fenced, wells, cistern, cellar, springs, lots of fruit; price right; part trade, balance cash payments; what have you? Give description and price; want to retire. Owner, O. A. Phillips, Kent, Ind. 23711

FOR SALE—A country home of one acre of ground near an interurban, 6 room house nearly new, well finished, good material inside and out, good barn, 20 fruit trees, fenced and drained, good well and cistern, on pike, 1/2 mile to school and church and in an excellent farming community. See or phone Warren P. Elder, Rushville. 23716

FOR SALE—360 acres 1 and 1/2 mile from railroad, all black land except 40 acres, fine state of cultivation, 200 acres corn this year, large new two story frame house, fair frame barn on main road, can give possession March 1, 1910. Or would trade for a smaller farm. See or phone W. P. Elder, Rushville. 23716

FOR SALE—120 acres 4 miles from a railroad and interurban, a good two story house or seven rooms, slate roof, cellar, well, cistern, brick mil khouse, fair barn, fruit enough for home use, fencing good as the average farm, land a little rolling, but no waste land, can all be cultivated, 20 acres fair timber, 17 acres in wheat, corn made 65 bushels per acre this year. The soil is good and very productive. Farm is on good pike. This is a bargain and must be sold in the next ten days. See or phone W. P. Elder, Rushville, Ind. 23716

FOR SALE—One bed lounge, writing desk; both in good condition; cheap. Inquire at 219 North Harrison street. 23616

TO LET—Double house, 6 and 5 rooms to side; tubular well and cistern; 3 1/2 blocks West Second street, Rushville. W. E. Wallace. 23612

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In Effect April 1, 1909.

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West Bound.	East Bound.
5:31 a.m.	5:50 a.m.
6:09 a.m.	6:44 a.m.
*7:01 a.m.	*7:50 a.m.
8:09 a.m.	8:44 a.m.
+9:17 a.m.	+9:36 a.m.
10:09 a.m.	10:44 a.m.
*11:01 a.m.	*11:50 a.m.
12:09 p.m.	12:44 p.m.
*1:01 p.m.	*1:50 p.m.
2:09 p.m.	2:44 p.m.
*3:01 p.m.	*3:50 p.m.
4:09 p.m.	4:44 p.m.
+5:17 p.m.	+5:36 p.m.
6:09 p.m.	6:44 p.m.
*7:08 p.m.	*7:50 p.m.
8:01 p.m.	8:50 p.m.
10:01 p.m.	10:50 p.m.
	12:50 a.m.

+ Connersville Dispatch.
West—9:17 a.m. 5:17 p.m.
East—9:36 a.m. 5:36 p.m.
* Limiteds.

Phones—Ticket office, 1407.
Freight office, 1696.

EXPRESS

FOR DELIVERY AT STATION.
15 Trains Each Way.

FREIGHT SERVICE

West	8:20 am	6:20 pm
East	5:15 am	3:15 pm

Our Want Ads Will Sell Any Thing.

Coming and Going

—John Vanata visited in Indianapolis over Sunday.

—Mrs. R. L. Tompkins visited in Indianapolis today.

—T. A. Craig transacted business in Knightstown today.

—Mrs. J. G. Mauzy was an Indianapolis visitor today.

—Roy Jones transacted business in Indianapolis today.

—Mrs. J. C. Sexton was a visitor in Indianapolis today.

—Mrs. Harrie Jones was an Indianapolis visitor today.

—E. W. Ball was a passenger to Indianapolis this morning.

—Mrs. Warren P. Elder was a visitor in Indianapolis today.

—Homer Havens was a business visitor in Indianapolis today.

—C. H. Alger is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Scott in Indianapolis.

—Miss Frances Sexton spent the week end with friends in Indianapolis.

—Carl Gunning will be the guest of friends in Muncie during the holidays.

—Miss Ethel Amos returned today from an extended visit with relatives in Illinois.

—Albert Bristor of Indianapolis was the guest of young lady friends here yesterday.

—Earl Ross of Cincinnati was the guest of Miss Marie Clark in North Main street over Sunday.

Miss Hilda, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen McKee, is ill at their home in North Willow street.

—John Nipp who has been in Oklahoma since last summer has returned for a short visit with home folks.

—Earl Norris returned to Indianapolis this morning after spending Sunday with home folks in Carthage.

Can we make it \$150.

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is such a nice, pleasant, gentle laxative, as well as restorative for weak stomach and bowels, that we unhesitatingly recommend it. It is far superior to cathartic pills, salts, waters, enemas or any of the drastic methods. Price, 25c. A trial means a return order.

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TO A FRIEND

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A Subscription to a Magazine Will Please Anyone

—Fred Clevenger spent Sunday in Indianapolis.

—The Misses Fay Mereer, Emma Cook and Nelle Farrington of New Salem were doing Xmas shopping in Rushville today.

—Miss Nellie Trobaugh, who is a student in the State Normal at Terre Haute, will be home the latter part of the week to spend Christmas with home folks.

—Miss Hazel Lytle, who is a student in Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill., is home to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lytle in East Sixth street during the holidays.

—Mrs. Leo Mull and daughter, Miss Mildred, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, are here the guests of Mrs. Mull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Wyatt in North Main street until after the holidays.

—Mrs. Joe Pyle of Greenfield is visiting her mother, Mrs. Milton Ochiltree, in Glenwood. She will be joined by her husband later in the week and they will go to Denver, Col., in the near future for permanent residence.

SOCIETY NEWS

Miss Frances Sexton and will C. McColgin of this city and Ed Doll of Connersville were entertained at dinner at the home of Mrs. Mary L. Hovey in Indianapolis Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lon Kennedy entertained the following relatives at dinner at their home in East Ninth street yesterday: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tompkins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Kennedy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMillin and family.

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Will arrive Saturday with his airship full of beautiful gifts for old and young. You are expecting him. Have you left the list of things you want with us? Here is a fine list to pick from:

China	Toys
Brassware	Dolls
Chaffing Dishes	Irish Mails
Coffee Machines	Wabash Coasters
Good Books	English Go-Carts
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OPEN EVENINGS



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AMUSEMENTS

A Republican Santa Claus box will appear at each five cent show tonight. Slip a piece of money in the slot.

Billie Burke will be seen at English's opera house Tuesday and Wednesday, December 21 and 22, in "Love Watches." Billie Burke plays the impulsive, girlish, absurdly devoted bride of a young Frenchman. The jealousies growing out of her knowledge of the former flirtations of her spouse cause some amusing situations, and give her opportunity for ebullient girlish humors. In one of these, while she attempts to drown her sorrow in a glass or two of champagne, she has a tipsy scene which May Irwin says is "a triumph of delicate art." The play is unusually put on and the company is one of particular excellence.

The Palace theater has a well balanced program to offer tonight in the two subjects, "The Bridegroom's Joke" and "Dirigible Balloons at St. Louis." The first picture is a comic of the rich and racy sort and is guaranteed to bring a laugh while the second is a scenic reproduction on a very elaborate scale. Miss Iva Brown will sing "When Night Falls."

The Star-Grand offers two Biograph subjects tonight. The first subject is a drama entitled "In a Hempen Bag." Here is one occasion in which the letting of the "cat out of the bag" almost resulted in an awful calamity. The second subject is a comedy entitled "The Test." In this subject the Biograph presents another episode in the Wright family. Harry gets in bad for a time, but he wriggles out like a trout off a hook and comes up with that perennial grin or "the smile that won't come off." And it is another victory for Harry. Earl Robertson will sing "My Bonnie Blue Bell."

The Vaudeit enjoyed immense crowds at all of their shows Saturday evening which were attracted there by the good program including good pictures and good music. They have a good show tonight in the two pictures, "A Lesson in Charity" and "Sam's Artistic Beard." They are both highly entertaining subjects and ones which are full of enjoyment for the theatergoer. Miss Venus Lowden will sing the illustrated song, "Give Me Just One More Chance."

Hear Mr. Malone, the Italian harpist of Indianapolis, at O. H. Broadway's opening Saturday afternoon and Saturday night. 23912

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